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Frauds on the Federal Treasury.

The GARDINER CASE.—The following article from the *Democratic Monthly Review*, page 78, exhibits the great Gardiner case in a light of much interest and legal curiosity. The author is no friend of Gardiner, and merely writes what he regards as an American citizen. His views are, therefore, entitled to peculiar consideration as a disinterested observer of this case.

The above is the introduction given by the *New York National Democrat*, on Thursday last, to its republication of the article therein alluded to. Having a few words to say about that article, and the many similar ones which have been published over the country, we, perhaps, had better take this opportunity to say them, as follows, viz:

It is an ingenious attempt to palliate the Gardiner fraud, written, not by a "disinterested observer," but by a party on whom we can place our finger, who now seems only to breathe by and through connection with the accused. It is filled with misrepresentations of the testimony on the part of the prosecution, slanders upon the witnesses, and palliations of frauds on the Government generally. This Gardiner case is in a nut-shell. A man obtains more than four hundred thousand dollars from the Government of the United States, upon papers alleging that very recently he was so extensively engaged in working silver mines, (employing so many hands therein, dealing with so many parties in the course of his business, &c.,) as that on being driven from the works, his loss was a half million of dollars. After being paid nearly that amount, it is discovered that some of the papers on which his claim is based are forgeries. He is prosecuted for the crimes of perjury and forgery, and some \$200,000 of the money paid to him is so attached as that it will probably find its way back into the National Treasury, unless Gardiner is acquitted of the criminal charges hanging over him.

Does any man, with an ounce of brains, believe, that if it were possible for the accused to place in the witness box any of the hundreds of persons who are alleged to have worked for him so recently at mining, he would have failed to have some of them there? Can any one believe that if it were possible for him to have produced in Court a single man of the hundreds with whom he must have traded in carrying on the business, he, too, would not have been brought on the stand? No—common sense teaches that, when by so doing he could at once have saved himself from further molestation by the Government, and have forever secured himself and the other parties to whom portions of the attached \$200,000 nominally belong, in the possession of this money, he would have produced such witnesses, if any such exist. Does any man in his senses believe that he could have worked such mines, in such manner, so recently, as alleged, without its being possible to find some such witnesses of the fact?

We take it that no man lives who has attentively read or heard the testimony in the case, without having come to the conclusion that the abstraction of the large sum from the Treasury paid on this claim, involves bold and shameless fraud. How happens it that the jury failed to convict him at the recent trial? We point, in the first place, to just such publications as that noticed at the head of this article. We are satisfied that persons in Washington connected with the press, are paid by the accused to represent the case as this infamous article presents it to the public. We know, too, that the position in society of those who stand in the background in this affair, is having undue weight; there being not a few around us who conceive that in aiding and abetting this transaction, they deserve credit for adroitness, rather than to be kept (at the cost of the Government) from doing more harm, which we at least conceive to be the reward to which more than one of them is fairly entitled. Unfortunately, we are without space in which to point out in detail the infamous points of the article, the publication of

which induces us to write on this subject. We may, however, add that the legal point which prevented a conviction at the trial, was (if we understand it correctly) the Government's failure to produce testimony proving that a certain mine claimed by Gardiner as his, (only after the trial commenced,) was not his. The court, or at least the jury, gave him the benefit of the possibility that it might be his. So no verdict was obtained. The Government subsequently sent out a commission to ascertain whether Gardiner's witnesses are not mistaken in their location of the mine in question; and, if they are not mistaken, then to ascertain whether Gardiner has, or ever had, any connection with or title to it. This commission will soon return, when the case will be again tried, with what result no man can foretell.

THE GRAMMAR OF THE NEW YORK COLLECTOR FOR THE WASHINGTON NATIONAL MONUMENT.—"W." in the *Intelligencer* of this morning, makes a fling at the *Star* for copying the New York *Commercial Advertiser's* joke over the grammar of the Collector aforesaid. We have only to say, that we trust, hereafter, that in selecting agents to make such advertisements, our great National Monument Association will not aid and abet the diffusion of a taste for bad English. By-the-by; writing of this little affair, reminds us that years ago there was much said about the way in which some of the funds collected for the monument had been used. Can any one enable us to enlighten the public on this head?

COMPLIMENTARY.—We have thus far failed to notice the thousand and one flattering notices of our journal, appearing in every section of the Union, but the following from the *Day Book*, the liveliest of all the New York journals, is so well written and so heartily expressed that, with all our modesty, we are induced to republish it:

"The Washington *Star* is just such a paper as has been long needed in that city, and we are right glad that the vacuum made by the old heavy political papers, is now filled, and the want of the people of Washington, for a sparkling, lively, gay, rich, and every day paper, fully supplied. We wish the *Star* all the patronage it merits—and, it certainly will never need more."

SAD CASE OF DROWNING.—The Baltimore *American* of to-day says:

On Saturday morning last the compositors of the Sun Office, to the number of twelve or fifteen, repaired in an omnibus to Whitehall, on Back river, about seven miles from the city, to spend the day in fishing, bathing, &c. The early part of the day passed off very pleasantly, the company separating in parties, amusing themselves in various ways, until about 1 o'clock, when Mr. James Walker was missed, and search immediately made for him. His clothes were finally found on the beach, and on wading out his body was discovered in quite shallow water, perfectly dead, having probably been in the water a half hour. It is supposed that he was taken with a fit or the cramp, and was unable to reach the shore. He was about 30 years old, a native of Green-castle, Pa., where his widowed mother resides, and was universally respected and esteemed by all who knew him. His remains were brought to this city by his sorrowing friends, and an inquest held, the coroner returning a verdict in accordance with the facts. He was buried yesterday afternoon, and followed to the grave by the members of the Typographical Society and of the Iris Lodge of I. O. O. F. together with a large number of personal friends.

The Rev. John Chambers, the Philadelphia temperance "war horse," is out in the Philadelphia *Sun* of Saturday last, in one of his own peculiarly intemperate articles denouncing all who oppose the Maine Law.

Be gentle, friend John; a grain of sugar will draw more flies than a gallon of vinegar.

The Westminster Review, for July, 1853, republished by Leonard Scott & Co., New York, is on our table, being sent by Taylor & Maury. Its leading article is upon John Knox. The number is a good one.

The attention of the readers of the *Star* is called to the card of Mr. Sheriff, in another column of to-day's paper, in which he proposes to give an entertainment at Carusi's Saloon, on Thursday evening next. Mr. Sheriff is said by his friends to be an excellent reader, and will no doubt delight those who may pay him a visit.

STRIKE OF WOMEN LABORERS.—A late English paper says that "the women of Stokesley, Yorkshire, who go out to field work, (weeding, spreading manure, pulling turnips, &c.) recently struck for an increase of wages. They sent a circular to announce that instead of receiving 8d. a day, they should receive 10d." And we trust that they will get it. There would be some sense in getting up a Convention of the Women of England in behalf of "Woman's Rights."

Mr. Hoiceman, of Wheeling, Va., has received authentic information from England, that he is one of two hundred heirs to an estate valued at \$3,000,000.

Spirit of the Morning Press.

The Union officially announces an appointment of Dan. E. Sickles, Esq., Attorney at Law, of New York city, to be Secretary of Legation at London, of which we notified our readers on Saturday last. Our neighbor goes into ecstasies over his selection. The same paper continues its manipulations of the affairs of the party in New York, trying as it were to whistle the N. York *National Democrat* and Albany *Argus* back into the party ranks. It seems that the clique—the *Democrat* and *Argus* clique—in the Legislature repudiate the recent Legislative Democratic address, not because it fails to go in for the platform, &c., but because it endorses the Administration, as well as the inaugural and the platform. The organs of the clique above mentioned, assuming to speak for half a dozen legislators whose names are appended to the address, declare that they did not authorize their signatures to be put to it. The Union praises the address, and contends in soothing tones that it is not fair for the *Democrat* to take the grounds that it is repudiated by the gentlemen in question, unless they are willing to do so over their own signatures, which they have not done. For the life of us, we cannot see that the Union has made the slightest impression, so far, upon their factious in N. York by so industriously tickling them with a straw. The Union further quotes a recent book on Turkish law, by Francis Davaise, late American consul at Constantinople, to show that Austria perpetrated an illegal and atrocious act in recently arresting Costa, the Hungarian refugee, in Smyrna. The Union also contains an interesting Paris letter.

The Republic's leader discusses the proposed Norfolk and Louisville Railroad scheme, upon the theory that railroads are Union-preservers. The article is as interesting as the subject, which is saying much for it. At present the whole of the line between the points named, east of the Kentucky line, is under construction or already finished. It is not to cost more than an average of \$20,000 per mile, is to have no grade against the current of the trade of more than sixty feet to the mile, and its whole length—from the ocean at Norfolk to the falls of the Ohio—is to be but seven hundred and nineteen miles. In Scott county, Virginia, the engineer has located the road through a natural tunnel in which a creek courses under a little mountain for five hundred feet. This mountain must be passed, and this tunnel, with trifling cost, is to furnish the means of passing it. The same paper quotes the Boston *Transcript*, to prove that T. Butler King cannot possibly be a defaulter.

The *Intelligencer* contains a letter from Colonel Benton, transmitting one from Mr. Harris Heap, companion of Superintendent Beale in his central route expedition to California, in both of which the peculiar virtues of the Fremont route for the Pacific railroad are set forth. The *Intelligencer's* London correspondent discourses foreign affairs generally, and the attitude of the British Ministry upon the Turco-Russian question particularly, which he conceives to be ominous of an indisposition to stand by Turkey, we take it.

The *Sun* deprecates the practice of appending the names of gentlemen to the proceedings of public meetings without their knowledge or consent. The singular doings of the "Blind Johnny" gatherings form the editor's text.

According to a vote of the South-west (Philadelphia) Commissioners, the Philadelphia *Sun* is no longer the organ of the Native American party. This is somewhat surprising to the uninitiated, as the *Sun* has always advocated the principles of Nativism with ability and zeal seldom equalled. We trust, however, that our contemporary will not be discouraged; organs do not always discourse the most eloquent music, as many who have turned the crank have tested to their heart's content.

Among the Whigs named as suitable candidates for the office of Governor of Massachusetts are Geo. Ashmun, Abbott Lawrence, and Samuel H. Walley. The Whig Convention will decide the matter in September.

SMUGGLING.—A dealer in New York, the *Mirror* says, has lost diamonds to the amount of 20,000 francs, by somebody on the "other side" attempting to smuggle them in free of duty. Uncle Sam "pockets the loss."

QUICK TRAVELING.—Arrangements have been made by the Hudson River Railroad, by which persons leaving New York at 6 a. m., reach Niagara Falls before 9 o'clock the same evening.

JUDICIAL RESIGNATION.—The Cambridge (Md.) *Chronicle* learns that the Hon. Asa Spence, Judge of the Circuit Court for that District, contemplates resigning his office.

A BET.—Over \$1,000 was bet at Jersey City on Thursday, on the comparative speed of the Pacific and Arabia on the present trip. The Pacific left on Saturday, (25th,) at 12:38 P. M.

A clergyman being complained of by another, for drawing away his parishioners on Sunday, made this reply: "Feed your flock better, and they won't stray."

Washington News.

IMPORTANT TO THE ARMY.—The following upon the subject of the pay of soldiers while confined by the civil authorities for offences against the law, officers' transportation accounts, and the rights of the accused before courts martial will be everywhere read with interest:

GENERAL ORDERS, WAR DEPARTMENT, No. 21.

I. The following regulations have been received from the War Department and are published to the Army.

1. Soldiers confined by civil authority, are not entitled to pay during such confinement, unless discharged therefrom without trial or by trial and acquittal, and commanders of companies and detachments are required to state explicitly upon the muster rolls of their companies or detachments the periods of such confinements, and whether the soldiers so confined were discharged without trial, and if tried, whether they were acquitted or convicted.

2. The transportation of an officer engaged upon any service for which there is a regular appropriation or other fund, must be charged to such appropriation or fund, and not to the appropriations for the current military service.

II. The following remarks in relation to the proceedings of the General Court Martial convened at Fort Leavenworth, pursuant to Orders No. 2, dated February 1, 1853, from the Headquarters of the Western Division, have been received from the War Department, and are published to the Army.

At a General Court Martial held at Fort Leavenworth, for the trial of Major Howe, 2d Division, an erroneous decision was made, to which the attention of the service should be directed, in order that a like error may be, in future, avoided.

The accused challenged a member for "bias, prejudice, and malice." The member then stated that he had no prejudice or bias against the accused which could in the remotest degree interfere with his doing justice in the case; but "being challenged," he requested to be relieved from sitting on the court; which the court refused, and overruled the challenge. The accused then requested that the member might be put on his voir dire in order that he might examine him as to the extent of any prejudice he might entertain; which application the court refused.

The ground of the decision is not expressed. Whether it was that the court considered that the member ought not to be examined, and that the cause of challenge must be shown by other proof; or whether they thought the explanation already made by him sufficient.

It was never doubted that a juror may be examined as to his bias or prejudice, or his opinions in the matter for trial; except that it was at one time held that opinions formed and expressed, as they may be proved by extrinsic evidence, ought not to be so proved. But that distinction is now maintained in the courts of this country; and an accused is now allowed in all cases, for the better security of an impartial trial, to show the mind of the juror by examining him before the court; and the only exception is, where the cause of challenge goes to the disgrace or discredit of the juror.

In regard to the sufficiency of the explanation made by the member, the court ought to have considered that it was not a denial, but in some degree an admission of bias and prejudice, qualified by the member's opinion that it could not influence his judgment in the trial. This, however, was the matter of which the court were to judge after enquiring into the nature and grounds of his feelings towards the accused. And as to the proof in this regard, the law allows the accused the testimony of the member in the mode he demanded.

The refusal of the court to allow the accused the benefit of the necessary legal evidence to prove his cause of challenge would have set aside the trial, had the verdict been of conviction.

By ORDER: S. COOPER, Adjutant General.

COMMODORE NEWTON, the Commander of the Home Squadron, did not die on the 19th ult., at Pensacola as alleged by the newspapers. The Navy Department are in possession of letters from his Secretary, dated on the 23d ult., showing that though very ill at that date, he was able to dictate dispatches.

A NEW NAVAL PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS.—Alex. W. Lawrence, Esq., of North Carolina, has been appointed professor of mathematics in the Navy. His commission bears date July 29th. He has been ordered to duty at the Washington Observatory.

A NEW PAPER.—Mr. Beverley Tucker's proposed Washington *Sentinel* is more talked over in Washington just now than heretofore. Speculations as to its probable character, affinities, &c., are very various. If Mr. Tucker will have the nerve to stand straight up against all prospective Galphinnisms, he may do much good. Mr. Ovid F. Johnson and Mr. Pryor, both formerly associate editors of the *Union*, are most spoken of as the probable editors of the proposed journal, to which we wish all success, if it is to be so conducted as really to protect the public interest.

DIFFICULTY OF OBTAINING RECRUITS FOR THE ARMY.—Perhaps there never was a time before when so great difficulty existed in inducing men to enlist in the Army of the United States. This is attributable wholly to the gratifying condition of things in the way of the plenty of work for every body who will work, and at excellent prices, too.

POST OFFICE ROUTE AGENTS APPOINTED.—On the railroad from Columbia to Belton, South Carolina, N. K. Sullivan, of Anderson, and James W. Singleton, of Greenville.

CHANGE IN THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.—Pliny Miles, Esq., of New York, has been promoted to be a corresponding clerk in the Post Office Department, (third class,) vice John R. McMahon, who takes his (third class) place in the Appointment Office.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS IN THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT.—Wythe Denby appointed to a \$1000 clerkship in the Third Auditor's Office, vice J. J. C. Cantine, promoted to Mr. Hawk's place.

Nicholas Clinch appointed for examination to a first class clerkship, in place of Denby, in the Third Auditor's Office, as above.

Charles Stewart appointed Messenger in the Register's Office.

Bathing in the Canal.

WASHINGTON, August 1, 1853.

To the Editors of the *Evening Star*.

GENTLEMEN: Is there no law prohibiting the practice of bathing in the canal—at least during those hours of the day when ladies and gentlemen so frequently cross and recross the several bridges? The locality of 10th street bridge has of late (and particularly on the Sabbath) presented a scene not at all in accordance with the refinement of Metropolitan society. If this exposure of person, so near a prominent thoroughfare of our city, is not in violation of law, it is certainly opposed to every rule of decency, and as such deserves the severe censure of the community.

A SUBSCRIBER.

NOTICE.—There will be a temperance meeting at Goshen Chapel, Island, on TUESDAY EVENING, next, at 8 o'clock. The cause cause and the public generally are invited to attend.

Rev. C. W. Deming and others, will address the meeting.

NOTICE.—JOURNEMEN PAINTERS, ATTENTION!—A meeting of the United Journeymen House Painters and Glaziers' Society of the District of Columbia, will be held at the Franklin Engine House, on TUESDAY EVENING, next, at 8 o'clock. The members are requested to be punctual in attendance. By order:

W. H. FANNING, President, jy 30-31

WANTED TO purchase three or four NEGRO WOMEN.—Persons having servants to dispose of will please call at the office of Brown's Dispensary, at 11th and 12th streets, or at a note addressed to A. LARLEY, through the Post office, will receive immediate attention. aug 1-1st

NOTICE.

A FAMILY, wishing to leave the city, desire to sell out immediately. The location is in the best part of the city for renting rooms. Address "P. O." post paid, with real name. aug 1-1st

LIME, LIME, LIME.—Pure wood-burnt LIME, for sale at the corner of Virginia avenue and the Canal, in any quantity. aug 1-31

A Grand Festival

Will be given by the Pastors of Trinity Church, on THURSDAY, the 4th of August, in the College Grounds.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CHURCH.

Price of admission: For grown persons, 25 cents; children 12 1/2. A fine collection of Music will be in attendance; and Refreshments in abundance.

The strictest pains will be taken by the managers, appointed by the reverend gentlemen, to give all who are present satisfaction in every respect. aug 1-31

ODD-FELLOWS' HALL.

MR. GEO. M. HILL, respectfully solicits the patronage of the public generally to the GRAND COMPLEMENTARY MUSICAL SOIREE, tendered him by his friends, at Odd-Fellows' Hall, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, August 3d.

Cards of admission—TWENTY-FIVE CENTS—can be had at Mr. J. F. Ellis' Music Store, Pennsylvania avenue, between 9th and 10th streets, and at all the principal Hotels in the city. aug 1-31

CARUSI'S SALOON.

Dramatic Entertainment, Thursday Evening, August 4th.

MR. JAMES SHERIFF, By the urgent request of many of his young friends and intelligent citizens will have the honor of giving an exhibition at the above Hall, on which occasion he will be assisted by MR. W. CULLEN, From the Southern and Western Theatres. He will also, have the honor of introducing to the citizens of Washington, a Young Lady of this City.

MISS JULIA RENWICKS, Being her first appearance in public. Tickets, FIFTY CENTS. For particulars see small bills of the day. Doors open at 7 o'clock, to commence at 8. aug 1-4

MONTGOMERY GUARDS' EXCURSION TO AQUA CREEK.

The MONTGOMERY GUARDS, respectfully announce that their first excursion will take place on TUESDAY, the 16th instant, on board the superior and splendid steamer COLUMBIA, leaving Georgetown at 11 1/2 o'clock, p. m., Reilly's wharf at 2, Navy Yard at 3 1/2, and Alexandria at 3 1/2; thence proceed down the river.

A Military and Cotton Band has been engaged for the purpose. Supper and Refreshments at city prices. Tickets, ONE DOLLAR—admitting a gentleman and two ladies. The Boat will be amply provided with life preservers. aug 1—eo 31

Washington Hall Restaurant.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his numerous friends and the public that he has made arrangements whereby he is enabled to afford more price satisfaction than ever in the discharge of his duty to his customers. He will regularly have a supply of genuine GREEN TURTLE from Nassau, which he will serve in the best styles known, fresh COVE and NORFOLK OYSTERS, SOUP, CRAB, and all delicacies the season will produce. His attention will be particularly directed to the accommodation and entertainment of all who favor him with their patronage. The Bar will, as heretofore, be supplied with the most choice WINE and LIQUORS to be had in the market. Thankful for past patronage, he will use his endeavors to merit its continuance.

W. F. BENTER, south side Penn. avenue, corner of 6th street. aug 1-31

RUGBY ACADEMY.

Boarding and Day School for Young Men. (Corner of 14th and K streets.)

THE seventh Annual Session of this Institution will commence on MONDAY, September 4th. The number of pupils being limited, early application for admission to the Academy is requested. The system of rewards being reduced to a uniform rule, prompt attendance on the day of opening is desirable for those who wish to distinguish themselves. Circulars can be had at the Bookstore, or Academy. G. F. MORRISON, Principal. aug 1-co

PUFF SIDE COMBS, &c.—LAMMOND, 7th st., 2d door below E, has just received a supply of Puff side Combs, also, Tucking and other Combs, Cord Beads, Jet, and other Bracelets, Boys' Patent Leather Belts, &c., and for sale very cheap for cash. aug 1-co 31

PERFUMERY.

WE beg leave to call the attention of our friends and the public to our very select assortment of PERFUMERY, consisting in part of Barry's & Crutcher's Triple Orange; Phoenix Hair Invigorator; Jules Hautes "Lustral"; Rhinoceros, Bears, Rose, Antique, Amber and Violet Hair Oil; Parina's German Cologne, warranted genuine; Pomatum for the Hair, in every shape and style, guaranteed to be first quality; Eau de Cologne, in every variety; Handkerchiefs, varying from 25 cents to 50 cents per bottle; Soap, Shaving Cream, Brushes, Combs, &c. J. F. ELLIS, Penn. avenue, between 9th and 10th streets. aug 1

MUSIC DEPOT.

THE UNDERSIGNED have just completed the most perfect arrangements with Northern and Southern Publishers of Music, enabling them to promptly supply the public with all the newest music.

WE have constantly on hand PIANOFORTES of the celebrated ROSENKRANZ manufacture, and being agents for the sale of Boston, New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore pianos, we flatter ourselves that our practical experience in this department to warrant satisfaction to the most fastidious purchaser.

We have for sale also MELODIONS from the manufacture of BISHOP & CHILD, Cleveland, Ohio, acknowledged by judges to be superior instruments to any of Eastern manufacture. We are also sole agents for the unequalled Piano and Parlor ORGANS of POMPLITZ and RODEWALD. The organs from this manufacture are said to excel all others in the construction of this country for beauty and power of tone.

We have also the sole agency for MARTIN'S unrivalled GUITARS, an assortment of which, direct from the manufacturer, we shall constantly keep on hand.

We are likewise agents for Keller's AMERICAN CREMONA VIOLINS, BADNER'S BEHM and Diatonic FLUTES, the Keyed Violin, and spirited advocate of music, the "Musical World and Times."

We constantly keep on hand STRINGS for all instruments, besides every thing pertaining to the musical line. Musical instruments of every description tuned and repaired.

HILBUS & HITZ, Music Depot, Pennsylvania avenue, south side, four doors west of 10th street. aug 1-dw

NOTICE.

FOR RENT, a desirable COTTAGE RESIDENCE, on H street, between 9th and 10th. Possession can be had on the 1st of August. Apply to Mr. WM. ORME, Pennsylvania avenue. jy 30-co 31

NOTICE.

YOUNG Ladies wishing to learn to cut and fit DRESSES perfect in six lessons, will have an opportunity now by calling on Mr. WILLIAM (Ladies Dress Maker), on 11th street, a few doors above the corner of 10th and 11th streets, every evening from five to six o'clock. jy 35-dw

TO STRANGERS AND CITIZENS.—Thompson's *Democratic Review* is unsurpassed by any, for boldness of execution, and beauty of style. He is a bold and daring writer, and his continued success in this city, and his continued success in please visitors and patrons, have not been unavailing. An examination of his Pictures recently made in particularity solicited. He is prepared to take pictures of every size and style, at reasonable prices. Gallery, north side of Pennsylvania avenue, between 4th and 6th streets, Lane & Tucker's Building. may 30

Root's WONDERFUL DANCESTEPS.—Go to Root's! No matter whether it be clear or cloudy weather. Still, with equal truth, he traces, Most lovely dances.

Root's Gallery, Pennsylvania avenue, near 5th street. march 31

JOE SULLIVAN receives all the new Books and Newspapers as fast as published. He is agent for Harper's and all the other Magazines, and our readers will always find a large and good assortment of Blank Books and Stationery at his Bookstore, Odson Building, corner of 4th street and Pennsylvania avenue. Most ready dealer. feb 7

A MEETING of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Mechanics' Institute, held at their rooms on 7th street, the following resolution was passed: Resolved, That the rooms of the Institute be opened daily through the week, (Sundays excepted) from 4 to 6 o'clock p. m., and that the public generally, be invited to visit the same.

CHARLES CALVERT, June 16-47

5,000 NEGROES WANTED.

The highest prices, in cash, for 5,000 NEGROES, with good titles, slaves for life or for a term of years, in large or small families, or single ones, will also be paid. Negroes restricted to remain in the State that sustain good character. Families never separated. Persons having slaves for sale will please call and see me, as I am always in the market with the cash. Communications promptly attended to, and liberal advances paid by JOHN N. DENNING, No. 15, St. Frederick street, between Baltimore and Second streets, Baltimore, Md. True in front of the door. jy 30-41

TALLY-HO RAZORS—ANOTHER SUPPLY.

ENOUGH FOR ALL.—Just received a superior quality of the popular TALLY-HO RAZORS, after a gross, of which have been retained by the subscriber, (from whom you will always get the genuine article) in a short time. Everybody can shave at a trifling expense, and with the truth of the old adage, "what is worth doing at all is worth doing well." Also, a supply of Shaving Creams, Soap, Brushes, Straps, Tooth and Hair Brushes, and fancy articles, generally, at WIMERS' Stationery, Music, & Fancy Store, Sixth street, one square from Pennsylvania avenue. jy 30

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